REGISTER NOW!
Men who expect to vote at the coming election should see that their names are correctly on the list. No changes can be made after this week.

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LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL Will have another South African story in next Sunday's Gazette, describing experiences with big game in South Africa.

A GREAT STORM.

The Atlantic Swept by an Extraordinary Gale.

GREAT DAMAGE IN ENGLAND.

Lives and Property Destroyed on Shore and at Sea. The Storm in New York. A Tramp Steamer Wrecked Near Newfoundland.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The St. James Gazette says this afternoon: Not within recent memory has such a terrible storm raged in England, and a terrible catalogue of disasters at sea is to be expected. Great damage has been done in many parts of the country and were it not that the houses are substantial we might have to lament a disaster as terrible as that which attends an American cyclone.

The trees in Richmond park, Bushy park, St. James park, Hyde park and Victoria park have been greatly damaged. Many sturdy old veterans which have withstood the wrath of ages have been uprooted.

Dispatches received here from Dover say that the hurricane is worse than the fearful weather experienced during the blizzard of March last. The Ostend boat has been unable to approach near the shelter pier at Dover and has been driven out to sea again. Since that time the Ostend boat has not been able to make some place of shelter elsewhere along the coast.

Of recent years, by the expenditure of immense sums of money, Dover has been made a "harbor of refuge." Four powerfully built jetties having been thrown out seaward and a huge granite pier called the Admiralty pier one-third of a mile long. These costly piers, which took three years to build, have been most completely destroyed.

This afternoon the gale in the channel was increasing in fury instead of decreasing and all steamers at sea are being forced to make some harbor, while those desiring to put to sea have been unable to do so.

A telegram received at 3 p. m. from Folkestone says a steamer flying signals of distress has been sighted off that port and seems to be in danger of becoming a total wreck. The local life boat has repeatedly attempted to put out to her assistance, but the fearful surf beating upon the beach and rolling in from the sea has driven the boat back in spite of determined efforts of her [illegible].

Additional reports from Glasgow say at [illegible] the storm is [illegible] the [illegible] severe since the terrible Tay bridge disaster.

The list of vessels which have foundered during the gale is only beginning to be made out. Two coasting vessels, it is known, have foundered in Loch Long, a branch of the Firth of Clyde, and six men of their crews were drowned. All the incoming steamers which have been able to make port report having encountered fearful weather. Telegrams from Wellingborough, near Northampton, on the Northwestern railroad, state that a theater has been blown down. A large audience had barely left the building when a powerful blast swept down upon the theater and reduced it to a shapeless pile of timber and bricks. Had the building fallen a moment sooner a number of people would have been buried in the ruins.

Gold For Treasury Notes.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—At the request of certain friends in Boston, Secretary Foster a few days ago wrote a letter on finance in which he said that treasury notes were redeemable in gold. Democrats in Boston presented a $1,000 treasury note at the subtreasury in Boston and demanded gold for it. It was refused by the assistant treasurer. Democratic newspapers published the fact of the refusal side by side with Secretary Foster's published "utterances." Secretary Foster after seeing the dispatch this morning sent the following telegram:

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14, 1891.
Hon. H. C. Lodge, Boston, Mass.

Treasury notes will be redeemed at any subtreasury of the United States in gold coin. The refusal at Boston was an error on the part of the assistant treasurer, it probably being the first case in Boston where redemption in gold was asked. There is no authority of existing law to redeem any paper money in gold or silver bullion, but the government purchased nearly a million of ounces of silver today with treasury notes at about ninety-seven cents an ounce, and any owner of treasury notes can do the same. The director of the mint tenders his kind offices unofficially to the chairman of the Democratic committee in Boston with an offer to purchase for him one thousand ounces of silver bullion to be paid for in treasury [illegible]. CHARLES FOSTER.

The [illegible] Story Denied.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14. A. J. Stone, son-in-law of the millionaire A. J. Snell, has this to say in regard to the story from Baltimore of Mrs. Albert Ordway to the effect that her late husband was concerned in the murder, and that W. B. Tascott, the supposed murderer, was strangled to death by his pals:

"This is the first time," he said, "that the name of Al. Ordway has been mentioned in connection with the case. I knew him quite well and was surprised when I learned of his death. I used to have my clothes made at his father's shop on Madison street and the worst thing I ever heard of him was that he was addicted to drink. Perhaps if I knew something of the woman's character and reputation for veracity I might consider the matter. But as the story now stands unsubstantiated, I would say it is false and without foundation."

Ira J. Ordway, the father of A. R. Ordway, today published a statement declaring that there was absolutely no foundation for the story made public last night by Mrs. [illegible] of Baltimore that her son was implicated with Tascott in the Snell murder. The story is generally discredited here.

Omaha Lynchers.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 14.—A warrant has been issued by the county attorney for the arrest of E. E. Moriarity, a member of the city council, for murder, he having been an active leader in the Smith lynching. E. F. [illegible], who is said to be one of the men who tied the rope, was likewise arrested, and the police are now on the lookout for the man who threw the rope over the wire to which Smith was hanged.

David Mahoney, Bob Ward, James Trainor and William F. Bloom complete with Moriarity and Farris today's arrests. Sixteen men have thus far been arrested charged with complicity in the lynching case.

Silver Purchases.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The treasury department today purchased 1,018,000 ounces of silver at 97.60 to 97.[illegible] per ounce. The offers were 1,270,000 ounces.

At the close of business today there were [illegible] 4½ per cent. bonds outstanding.

The comptroller of the currency has today appointed Nathan L. Hallowell, of Kingman, Kan., receiver of the First National bank of Coldwater, Kan.

Celebrating a Battle.

[illegible], O., Oct. 14. One hundred years ago, on November 4, 1791, Gen. Arthur St. Clair was disastrously defeated by the Indians at Fort Recovery near the northern line of Darke county. Today began the centennial celebration which will last three days. It is expected that it will result in the erection of a monument to mark the spot. This afternoon at 2 o'clock Governor Campbell is to deliver the opening address with a response by Hon. F. C. [illegible] of Columbus. Hon. Ebenezer Finley of Bucyrus is to deliver an address on Gen. Arthur St. Clair and the battle of Fort Recovery. Tomorrow [illegible]

Hon. John Sherman and C. S. Blackburn will speak in the forenoon, Gen. William Gibson will deliver an address on the conquest of the continent and St. Clair's defense in the afternoon.

A Steamship Wrecked.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Oct. 14.—The City of Rome which sailed from Montreal Oct. 7, has been lost near St. Shotts, eighty five miles southwest of here, and it is believed everyone on board has been lost. The steamer is not the Anchor line ship of that name.

A SURVIVOR'S TALE.

ST. JOHNS, Oct. 14.—A man by the name of John Brennan, belonging at Sligo, Ireland, arrived at Trepassey this morning from Peters river. He says he is the only survivor of the crew of forty-three men of the City of Rome from Montreal, which became a total wreck on Monday night. He says the captain and crew and officers were all drunk and unable to save themselves. He was thrown upon the cliff and was rescued by a man named Tondrigan on Tuesday morning.

The City of Rome had on board 575 head of cattle, a quantity of flour in sacks and Indian corn.

The man tells a most pitiful tale about the struggle the crew had among the rollers in trying to save themselves. The steamer was commanded by Captain Kelley and left Montreal on Oct. 7, bound for Dundee.

A New President at Work.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Henry Sandford, the newly elected president of the Adams Express company, took full charge of the business of the company this morning. He and Mr. Lovejoy, the new vice-president, and the majority of the directors, have started a thorough investigation into the affairs of the company. Examination thus far, it is said, has revealed some irregularities, though to no great extent. Mr. Lovejoy says that misappropriations have been found other than the [illegible].

"There is no telling what the future will develop," he added, "and it will be some time next week before we can tell how much the ex-president has taken from the company. I wish to say for the benefit of the stockholders that while the company is out a very large amount of money I do not believe it will reach a sufficient amount to in any measure affect the value of the stock."

Democratic Mass Meeting.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 14.—The Democracy of Kings county turned out in force this evening to aid in firing the first big Democratic gun in the present state campaign in the pivotal county of Kings. Clermont rink was crowded.

At 8 o'clock precisely Hon. W. H. Furrey entered and after him came Grover Cleveland. The audience simply went wild. Cheer after cheer arose until full two minutes had expired. When Mr. Cleveland arose to speak he was greeted with "three cheers for the next president."

Mr. Cleveland, after acknowledging the greeting, spoke for two hours on the political situation of New York, urging the necessity of electing the entire Democratic ticket, because of the importance it possesses in preceding the national campaign. His remarks were listened to with considerable enthusiasm.

World's Fair Disagreements.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14. The board of control of the national commission of the World's Fair and the executive committee held their October meetings today. Each body met behind closed doors and to say that both meetings were lively would be to put it mildly. Another conflict between the commission and directory appears to be on. Sometime during the session of the directors a request was sent to the board of control for a special joint conference of the board of reference and control to be held Friday. The conference is called, it is said, to consider the advisability of abolishing the entire department of publicity and promotion of which Major Handy is chief. The significance of this move is explained on the basis that Major Handy draws $1,500 a year from the directory and has a large staff.

The Mining Congress.

DENVER, Oct. 14.—The secretary of the mining congress has been informed that the Transmissouri association, at a meeting held in Kansas City today, has consented to a rate of one fare and a third from all points [illegible] in the territory of the association. Tickets will be placed upon sale November 16 and the usual time limit has been extended to December 6, so as to allow time for visiting mines throughout the state after the congress adjourns. The executive committee has decided upon prizes for single and double hand drilling contests aggregating $2,400. There will be five prizes. In the doubles, the first prize will be $600 and the singles $300.

Transmissouri Association.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 14.—The Transmissouri Passenger association concluded its regular monthly meeting today. The entire docket was cleared with the exception of the matter of the skeleton coupon ticket designed to do away with scalping. That matter was laid over until the next meeting. There was a good deal of opposition to the skeleton ticket. It was urged that it gave tickets too wide a latitude. It seems now that the Transmissouri roads will not adopt it.

The application for a rate of one and one-third fare to the Denver mining congress was granted.

The Same Thing Over Again.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 14.—The Sabbatarian society has decided to inaugurate a war on Sunday newspapers. Captain Wishart, president of the Law and Order society, will have charge of the movement, and on next Saturday will arrest all editors, reporters, compositors and pressmen found working after midnight. If the papers are published on Sunday morning the carriers and newsboys will also be arrested. It is the intention also to arrest the newspaper men if they begin work on Sunday night before 12 o'clock.

An International Railroad.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Articles of association have been presented to the railroad commissioners setting forth that the International Railway company (of Mexico), limited, had been formed for the purpose of building a railroad from Matamoras on the United States frontier to a convenient point on the frontier of Guatemala, with a branch near Tuxpam state of Vera Cruz, by the best practicable route to the City of Mexico. The capital stock is to be $1,000,000.

The Atlanta Damaged.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER, Del., 5 p. m.—The United States steamer Atlanta which left New York on Sunday to go to the assistance of the stranded government steamer Despatch, has arrived here short of coal. The Atlanta had fifty hours of a heavy gale during which a hawse pipe split. A violent explosion of gas occurred by which six men were injured. Two of the injured men are in a critical condition. The Atlanta is now engaged in repairing engines.

Locomotive Boiler Explosion.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 14.—This afternoon at South park just below this city eleven men were injured, two probably fatally, by the explosion of a locomotive boiler in the Kansas City railway shops. The boiler of Engine 21 just out of the repair shops exploded. A gang of machinists was at work on the engine getting it ready for use when the explosion occurred.

Death of an Army Officer.

FORT STANTON, N. M., Oct. 14.—Colonel Robert H Offley of the Tenth infantry died this evening at 7:45 of acute dysentery. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14. For Colorado: Fair till Friday; southerly variable winds.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A Sentence of Death by Chinese Highbinders.

RECIPROCITY WITH GERMANY.

American Maize will Feed the Hungry. Passenger Wreck on the Baltimore and Ohio. National Prison Congress.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—It is stated by a morning paper that in the [illegible] next door to the Joss temple on Mott street, the members of the Chop Chi Tong gathered in secret conclave last night and passed judgment upon three Chinamen who have incurred their displeasure. The terrible oath of the Highbinder society was recorded in the black book of fate with indelible ink, and the sentence is death to the accused. [illegible] of the [illegible], Chop Chi is probably Worry S. Charles, the Chinese interpreter, who was attacked in Mott street on Saturday night by a mob of highbinders. That this man will be removed is now scarcely doubted by the Chinese colony, and his friends will not be astonished if he meets a violent death at any moment. He was nursing his wounds at his home in Brooklyn yesterday, and he feared trouble very before the meeting of the society of revenge last night.

Prominent merchants in Chinatown did not hesitate to say that there was a very general demand for the banishment of Charles, or "Charley," as they call him. He has incurred the displeasure of the fan tan gamblers three times, and it was whispered in Mott street that he must either leave the city or suffer the consequences—death. The fan tan gamblers' league is controlled by the highbinders and the latter are practically run by a dozen desperadoes, who do not hesitate to swear away the life of any man, white or yellow, who opposes their business or exposes their schemes. Charles has been convicted as an informer and from now on he carries his life in his hands.

Three Chinamen, who dogged the footsteps of Charles yesterday, were probably the sworn executioners appointed to do the interpreter to death. If they do not carry out the edict of the society they will have to leave the city and never show their faces in New York again.

Little Chin Tin is probably another marked man, because the leader of the highbinders has asked that he be removed. As a sequel to the melee of Saturday night, when both Chin Tin and Charles were wounded, also Chop Chi will swear out warrants for the arrest of the two men. When the examination of Lee Chung occurs tomorrow in the Tombs court, it is likely both Charles and Chin Tin will be arrested upon charges of assaulting several members of the Highbinders' league. On the testimony of Chinese desperadoes those two men may be convicted of a serious crime, and their friends were pleading with them yesterday to get out of danger as quickly as possible, and avoid the wrath of blood-thirsty fan tan gamblers.

Indian Corn in Germany.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Secretary Rusk is in receipt of a communication from Col. C. J. Murphy, a special agent in Europe on behalf of the maize industry. Colonel Murphy proceeded to Berlin by the secretary's instructions a short time ago, in order to take advantage of the present shortage in the cereal crops of Europe by presenting to the attention of the German people and government the importance and value of American Indian corn as a cheap and nutritious substitute for other cereal foods. Colonel Murphy writes most encouragingly, reporting his cordial reception by Minister Phelps and the readiness of that gentleman to forward his mission, and further states that he has been able to produce bread composed in part of rye and part of corn, which has been highly commended by all those to whom samples have been submitted as a most satisfactory substitute for the ordinary rye bread in general use among certain classes in Germany, and this at a cost based on the present price of rye flour and corn meal in Germany, greatly inferior to the cost of the bread made exclusively of rye flour and now retailed in that city. Should special concessions in the matter of tariff duties be secured from the German government on Indian corn, the outlook for a large increase in our exports of that product to Germany would, in the opinion of Colonel Murphy, be most promising.

Reciprocity with Germany.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—From all that can be learned the German concessions on American meat and farm products will be about thirty per cent. Germany is revising its commercial treaties and the reciprocity arrangement is that the United States will be given the same concessions that are granted favored European nations.

Passenger Train Wrecked.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 14. Train No. 5 of the Baltimore and Ohio, which left Chicago today at 10:10 a. m., met with a serious accident at 2:30 p. m. at Hicksville, twenty miles east of Garrett, Ind. The train consisted of the engine and tender, baggage car, smoker, ladies' coach and private car of Vice-president King. The whole train left the track and the sleeper, ladies' coach and the private car went over an embankment.

Two passengers were killed, three were seriously injured and several slightly injured. The killed were: Thomas Waterstone, of Bridgewater, O.; A. G. Mathers, of Bion, Ia. Seriously injured: J. W. Grubaugh and wife, of Mansfield, O.; Mrs. Sarah Snyder, of Porter, O.; Mrs. Thomas Waterstone, of Bridgewater, O.; Miss Rhoda Woodale, of Buffalo. Vice-president King was well shaken up, but is otherwise uninjured.

A LATE REPORT.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Oct. 14.—A later report by telephone from Auburn says that a traveling man who drove from Hicksville after the wreck said Emmons Blaine was shaken, but not hurt.

The last advices say that but two persons were killed, but swells the number of injured to fifty, ten at least of whom will die. When the express was at a point far from the station, where it is not scheduled to stop, in rounding a sharp curve on an embankment twenty feet high, the four rear cars—two sleepers, a passenger coach and Vice-president King's private car—left the track and rolled down the embankment, turning over twice in their descent to the bottom. The train was running at a speed of fifty miles an hour and the crash was awful. In a moment the air was hideous with the groans and shrieks of the injured and imprisoned passengers. Assistance came from the town almost immediately and the work of rescue was begun, all the physicians and surgeons of the neighborhood were summoned. The bodies of two men were taken out shortly thereafter. They are supposed to be relatives, named Matthias, one of Chicago Junction, O., and the other of Montpelier, O. All the hotels and public buildings of the little town were at once thrown open and turned into hospitals, the [illegible] being received as rapidly as possible.

National Prison Cong.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 14.—At the usual hour this morning President Hayes called the congress of the National Prison association to order. Mr. Spalding offered a resolution to the effect that the National Prison association request all clergymen in the United States and Canada to observe the fourth Sabbath of each year as Prison Sunday. The resolution was carried.

"The Chaplains" [illegible] was the given [illegible] the meeting, and Rev. D. P. Breed, chaplain of the Indiana state prison, at Michigan City, Ind., presided. A paper by Rev. W. J. Batt, of the Massachusetts state reformatory at Concord, was read. His theme was "The Chaplains."

The speaker suggested modes of preparation of the chaplain.

Col. Gardner Tufts, superintendent of the reformatory of Massachusetts, then made a brief address on the "Warden's View of the Chaplain's Office." President Hayes and others talked on the same subject.

R. B. Hayes was re-elected president; R. Brinkerhoff of Mansfield, O., vice president; John T. Milligan of Allegheny, secretary; with Charles E. Felton of Chicago, and Dr. R. P. Falkner of Philadelphia, as his assistants; Charles M. Jessup of New York city, treasurer. The new executive committee is Z. R. Brockway, W. F. Round, G. Tufts, F. Wayland, R. W. McClaughey, A. A. Brush.

Republicans Meet.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—A large and enthusiastic meeting of Republicans was held tonight. Roger Wolcott, chairman of the Republican club of Massachusetts, presided. He delivered the opening address and was followed by Hon. Chas. H. Allen, Republican candidate for governor, who made his first speech since his recent illness. After Mr. Allen came Henry Cabot Lodge, and he was followed by Assistant-secretary of the navy Soley. Hon. Thos. B. Reed was then presented, and was greeted enthusiastically. He said it was a matter of congratulation that the Massachusetts and New York Democracy had detached themselves from their southern leader and have come out against the free coinage of silver. They are a little late, but it is a good thing to have a Democrat pointed right so early after the event.

Mr. Reed, after giving a history of silver legislation, said: "In all the preliminary struggle in the house, the Democrats voted against us and it was not until they heard from their constituents, and not until we won the victory without them, that we got their votes. Unquestionably they are with us in spirit, but they were by no means obtrusive."

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Trading on the stock exchange was limited this morning, only [illegible] shares changing hands up to noon. The dealings for the most part were confined to L. & N. Lackawanna, St. Paul, Northern Pacific preferred, Atchison, Burlington and Reading. The opening was steady at unchanged prices, but in the first hour there was a decline under a raid on L. & N. of ¼ to 1 per cent., the latter in the stock named. Lackawanna and Reading were the strongest stocks, advancing 1 per cent. and ⅜ per cent. respectively. In the hour to noon the market was almost stagnant, hardly any business having been done. Prices changed but little from those current at 11 o'clock by midday.

In the afternoon trading started up again, but only under a moderate free offering of stock by the operators on the bear side. The whole market declined under this selling. Lake Shore was especially hammered and at one time was down 2 per cent., but recovered half the decline before the close. Even Reading and Lackawanna lost their morning advances and closed fractionally lower. Pullman Palace Car closed 3½ per cent. lower. The decline in this stock was attributed to the announcement of the intention to increase the company's capital stock $5,000,000. The final figures of the general market were at or near the lowest of the day. The decline ranged from ¼ to 2 per cent., the latter in Omaha preferred. Total sales [illegible] shares.

CLOSING PRICES.

Adams Ex	145	U. S. Ex	56
American Ex	116½	Wells Fargo Ex	137
Del. L. & W	137½	W. Union	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]	Colorado Coal	[illegible]
Mo. Pacific	[illegible]	Atchison	42¼
Northern Pac	25	4s Registered	116½
Do pfd	73¾	4s Registered	100½
C. & N. W	115¾	4s Coupons	116½
N. Y. C	114½	Pacific 6s of '95	111
Pullman P. C	175	Pittsburg	35
Rock Island	79¾	Lake Shore	122¾
O. & M	22	Lead Trust	18½
Do pfd	40	Sugar Trust	86
Reading	40⅛	D. & R. G	17
Pacific Mail	37¾	Bar Silver	96¾
U. P	39¾		

White River Reservation.

DENVER, Oct. 14.—A special from Washington says: The proclamation for the reservation of the White River plateau forest reserve in Colorado was today prepared in the general land office and approved by Land-commissioner Carter. It now needs only the signature of the president to put it in force.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Phillips Brooks was consecrated as bishop of the diocese of Massachusetts.

Fire destroyed a large portion of Shawneetown, Ill. Loss $100,000; insurance light.

A large Democratic mass meeting was held in New York city. Ex-President Cleveland was a speaker.

The condition of Gen. W. H. Lee has taken an unfavorable turn, and he is now considered critically ill.

A fire, caused by a defective flue, damaged St. [illegible] Catholic church at Kingston, Pa., to the amount of $6,000.

[illegible] Corcoran, the old time pitcher of the Chicago Baseball club, died with Bright's disease at his home in Newark, N. J.

A shock of earthquake similar in intensity to that of last Sunday night, occurred in California about 5 a. m. No damage is reported.

The Rev. Father Francis Wurtz, ecclesiastical superior of the Lorettoes, died at 3 a. m. at Loretto convent, in Marion county, Kentucky.

The Ecumenical conference adopted strong resolutions petitioning the United States commissioners to the World's Fair protesting against the proposed opening of the fair on Sunday.

Salisbury on behalf of England has politely informed the Porte that if vessels of the Russian volunteer fleet are allowed to pass the Dardanelles, Great Britain claims the same right for her "volunteer" vessels.

The survivors of the ill-fated United States steamer Despatch, numbering sixty-nine officers and men arrived in Philadelphia under command of Lieutenant Noel and Chief-engineer Ogden. The party left Chincoteague at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Major Charles R. Truckmorton, United States commandant at Fort Schuyler, N. Y., was placed under arrest yesterday morning and relieved of his command pending investigation of charges of issuing worthless checks and duplicating his pay vouchers.

Newark's charter election yesterday resulted in a victory for the Democratic party. Jos. E. Haines was re-elected mayor for a fifth term by 3[illegible] plurality over ex-Congressman Herman Lehlbach (Republican) and Parmalee (Independent).

Mr. George M. Pullman, who controls the stock of the Pullman company has decided that at the meeting today the capital stock shall be increased from $25,000,000 to $30,000,000. This is the eighth time the capital stock has been increased within the last twenty years.

At Tonawanda, N. Y., a fire started in the basement of the American hotel at 3 a. m. and entirely destroyed the building and contents. The total loss is estimated at $100,000, with insurance about one half. The fire was not under control until 3 o'clock.

At the annual meeting of the Illinois Central stockholders held at Chicago, Stuyvesant Fish, Edward H. Harriman and W. W. Astor were elected directors to serve until 1895. C. M. Beach of Hartford, Conn., was elected to serve until 1894, to fill the unexpired term of George Bliss, who resigned.

The Boston Herald says it is understood that the Searles will contest is ended and that Timothy Hopkins will get between eight and ten millions of the late Mrs. Searles property. The agreement, it is said, was reached at the meeting Tuesday night, at which counsel for both sides were present and which did not break up until morning.

Secretary Rusk assured a committee from the New York produce exchange that pork products stamped at abbatoirs in the west could be re-examined at the port of export, when such re-examination seemed necessary and that a government inspector would superintend the inspection and restamp any packages that were opened, so as to guarantee [illegible] important [illegible] any substitution of the product after the examination at the time of packing.

THE LOCAL GRIST.

County Commissioners Make the Annual Tax Levy.

LATE CRIPPLE CREEK NEWS.

A Friend's Tribute to the Late Judge McFerran. Meeting of the Colored People of the City to Advance Their Race Interests.

The board of county commissioners in session yesterday made the levy for the coming year, and it is now possible to figure the taxes. They place the county tax at 10 mills on the dollar, an increase of 4 mills over last year. This extra tax is owing to the increased expense in the county election by the Australian method and for building the new county jail.

The total assessment for this city is 43 [illegible] on the dollar divided as follows:

	Mills
General county tax	[illegible]
City tax	[illegible]
General school tax	[illegible]
Special school tax for district No. 11	[illegible]
Special tax and interest on bonds for No. 11	[illegible]

The city levy made by Manitou is 13 mills and by Colorado City 10 mills.

After a Quarter of a Century.

The residence of Mrs. E. S. Bumstead, North Weber street, was the scene of a most enjoyable event last evening, the occasion being the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bumstead. Friends to the number of about thirty assembled in the early evening at the residence of Mr. J. H. Thedinga, from whence they repaired to the Bumstead home, taking the inmates completely by surprise. The surprise was made even more complete when Mr. I. J. Woodworth, on behalf of those present, stepped forward and in a few well chosen remarks presented the bride and groom of twenty-five summers with an elegant hand engraved, satin finished, silver tea set. At the conclusion of Mr. Woodworth's remarks, Mr. Bumstead responded in a very handsome and feeling manner. The tea set was a beauty and was purchased of Woodworth, Smith & Randall, jewelers, Hagerman block.

At 10 o'clock refreshments were served and the evening passed in a most delightful manner. The party broke up long in the small hours of the night and as those present departed for their homes, they wished the bride and groom many years of prosperity and happiness.

A Friend's Tribute.

THE GAZETTE has received a copy of the North Missourian, published at Gallatin, Mo., containing an article on the life of the late J. H. B. McFerran of this city. It is from the pen of Judge H. C. McDougal of Kansas City, while the paper in an editorial also pays a tribute to Judge McFerran. Judge McDougal's article will be read with interest by the people of this city and is as follows:

"To the old settlers of the Grand River valley this announcement will bring back many pleasant recollections of the tall, powerfully built, Ajax-like man, who as a lawyer, judge, banker and citizen, was a conspicuous figure in this part of the country for full a quarter of a century. The rising generation will not feel the same kindly interest in this man, nor in his death; yet it is for them chiefly that this notice is written. His career fully illustrates and proves the proposition that the key which unlocks the door to all honorable success is duty well performed.

"Let us look at it. Born in Washington county, Maryland, September 17, 1819, his father died when he was but 6, and he was left without either fortune or powerful friends, to the care of his widowed mother. We find him an honest, industrious stonecutter from 16 to 20, starting at a salary of seventy-five cents a day; a contractor on the public works in his native state until he attained the age of 25, studying his lesson at night and storing his mind with useful knowledge by the light of the pine cone, or that given by the old fashioned lamp, thus fitting himself for that struggle which every young man, who would win, must make with the stern, cold practical realities of the life before him.

"Then he immured himself in the office of a distinguished jurist at Hagerstown, Md., and for three years studied the laws of his country.

"In 1848, at the age of 29, he came to Gallatin and at once began the practice of the law that most exacting of all professions and so well did he succeed that it was not long until he reached the goal of every young lawyer's ambition, the head of the bar.

"The honest, sturdy, industrious pioneers of that day wanted [illegible] of the plain, unassuming, hardworking young lawyer; had faith in his sterling integrity and knew they could trust him. So in 1856 they sent him to the state legislature; elected him to the state senate in 1856 and a year later gave to him the high and honorable office of judge of the circuit court, which office he held until Jan. 1, 1861.

"In that terrible spring of 1861, when women forgot to spin, when the farmer left his plow, the merchant his store, the smith his shop, because the desolating cloud of civil war hung like a pall over every home in the border states; when union and liberty fronted rebellion and slavery, then it was that James McFerran his tall form like that of a giant towering above his fellows, his powerful voice, earnest and persuasive urged and implored the discontented people to stand by the constitution and flag of the fathers. His efforts with those of that noble band of patriots who stood shoulder to shoulder with him in that trying hour, saved northwest Missouri to the Union cause.

"In 1861 the people sent him to represent them in the state convention, where his close, hard, unceasing work and wise counsel again placed him in the front rank. He was too conservative for a party leader in those turbulent times; but no one can now read, in the light of subsequent events, his reported speeches in that assembly without reaching the conclusion that he saw clearly where many groped in darkness, and that he was right.

"In 1862, he organized and became the colonel of the First regiment Missouri state militia, in the union service, and commanded his regiment until the close of the war, when he was honorably mustered out, returned home and again resumed the practice of his profession.

"In 1865, he organized the Daviess County Savings association and was the president of that successful banking institution until 1870. In 1867 he removed from Gallatin to Chillicothe, Mo., where he at once organized the People's Savings bank and was its president until 1875, when he removed to Colorado Springs, Colo., and again engaging in the banking business, he amassed a large fortune.

"In 1851 he married Emily Lewis of Gallatin, who with their three daughters, survive him. Amanda, wife of G. W. T[illegible], Estelle, wife of A. V. Hunter, both of Leadville, Colo., and Maud, who remains at the beautiful home in Colorado Springs, to comfort the lonely heart of her bereaved mother.

"Aside from his splendid physique, a model of strength, Colonel McFerran was not more richly endowed by nature than is many a man also, in poverty born of [illegible] [illegible] what he calls his luck, and today clamors for a division of all property! Yet we here see the stonecutter of 20, die a rich man at 72, honored and respected most by those who knew him best. Why and how did he succeed in the same field where so many fall by the way side with 'failure' will [illegible] ten upon their brows? The answer is easy and plain, and should stimulate every young man to the highest exertion.

"He worked, he did his duty.

"He was industrious, frugal, strong in friendship, wise in counsel, honest in public and private affairs, alike faithful to every trust—to friend, home and country.

"Honor to the memory, peace to the ashes, rest to the soul of James McFerran."

For the Good of the Race.

About thirty of the negro population of this city assembled at the court house last night to form an organization for the binding together and strengthening of the colored element. Lively speeches were made by a number of those present in the early part of the meeting, and later Mr. C. B. Robinson, the temporary chairman of the meeting, called for steps to be taken toward getting a permanent organization upon its feet. The majority of those present handed in their names for membership, and the remainder kept their seats in the back of the room to watch the proceedings. Half a dozen of the new members got upon their feet all at once to argue the point of whether the organization was to be permanent or not, and a lively war of words ensued for the next five minutes.

After the excitement had died down the following officers were elected: President, W. R. Thompson; vice president, C. B. Robinson; secretary, E. P. Upshaw; assistant secretary, J. H. Childress; treasurer, S. Parsley. There was a good deal of discussion as to how many officers were needed, and the discussion was harrassed by several who wanted to speak at the same time. But these annoying individuals were finally prevailed upon to keep quiet, and the more calm speakers arose. The first of them said he hardly knew what to do, but he was quite certain that he did not want to sit down, as one of his hearers suggested when he saw that he was in doubt. Another orator was afraid the [illegible] would turn into a land investment company, as many associations have a tendency in that direction in these times, he said, and the organization was cautioned against this danger. Toward the close the new organization's workings were fairly well perfected, and a committee of five was appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws.

From Cripple Creek.

Mr. J. M. Griggsby came down from Cripple Creek yesterday on business matters connected with his valuable claims there. He reports the camp getting into good shape for winter. Already some fifteen houses have been built and timber is being gotten out for more. There is now a good feed stable at the camp and Mr. Griggsby thinks some three hundred persons will spend the winter there. He found considerable snow on the divide as he came across, but at the camp there was only three inches and on the south side of the hills none at all.

Mr. Griggsby states that a two-thirds interest in one of the placer mines in the out field has just been sold for $13,000, but he does not know the parties who made the deal. He and his partners have been offered $8,000 for their mines, the "Fig Horn" and "Star of the West," which they have refused. Their mines are on Mineral hill every inch of which is claimed.

The machinery for the new stamp mill was to have arrived at the camp last night. Every stage that arrives brings in new people. The Canon City people are crowding their new [illegible] and there is talk of a railroad from Pueblo. Mr. Griggsby says that he is familiar with every [illegible] camp in California, Arizona, Colorado and Idaho, and he believes Cripple Creek [illegible] a better outlook than any camp that he knows of.

Minor.

Mr. J. B. Wheeler's handsome new greenhouse is now nearly completed.

Contractor M. E. Molley is out again after a severe attack of mountain fever.

The Pike's Peak train will leave the depot the remainder of the season at 8 a. m.

Mr. J. G. Heistand of the Iron Springs pavilion left yesterday morning on a business trip to Denver.

The Continental hotel is undergoing repairs, and will be greatly improved under its new management.

Mr. H. T. Blake, of the Iron Springs hotel, left yesterday to take charge of his winter hotel at Pass Christian, Miss.

Mr. J. E. Mayceumber will leave today for the Cripple Creek mining country, where he and a party of others expect to locate claims.

A force of men have been at work on the streets and ditches for the past two weeks and have everything in good order for the winter.

A necktie and bonnet social will be given tomorrow evening by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church at the residence of Mrs. Errick.

Mr. Geo. Walker and wife, of Seattle, are registered at the Cliff house for an extended stay. Mr. Walker was at one time manager of the Manitou and the Manitou hotel, and is now proprietor of one of the leading hotels of Seattle.

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Genial, jovial and genuinely funny on the stage, modest, gentlemanly, and only dryly humorous in private life, Sol Smith Russell is one of the most popular comedians, and one of the most thoroughly well-liked men in the theatrical profession. One is always glad to see him, and most people are better for knowing him. It is doubtful if the announcement of any attraction at the theater, no matter of what nature, creates any more pleasurable anticipation, nor enjoys the same well grounded confidence in advance, than Sol Smith Russell, who will present "Peaceful Valley," his latest and greatest success, at the opera house on Saturday evening.

Tuesday evening a citizens' club was organized under the name of the El Paso County General Improvement club, at the office of the Rocky Mountain Loan and Investment company. The object of the club is to aid in all improvements and to encourage all commercial and manufacturing enterprises locating in El Paso county. The officers elected were: W. J. Foster, president; B. A. P[illegible], vice president; C. L. Ross, secretary-treasurer; J. K. Goudy, attorney, and the remaining directors are: A. F. Woodward, M. D. Swisher, F. F. McCloskey, J. M. Jackson and E. C. Bartlett. A special committee consisting of the board of directors was appointed to solicit advertising matter and subscriptions of money in the interest of "Colorado on Wheels."

An entertainment will be given to the junior members of the Young Men's Christian association at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in the reception room of the association's quarters. The programme will include a recitation by Miss Gracie Hopkins, a cornet solo by Professor Rawley, and an address by Dr. F. A. Hale on "How to be Strong and How to Keep Strong." The members of the association are privileged to invite a friend.

[illegible] in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Waves nearly thirty feet high are lashing Rockaway beach, plowing far into the sand and washing dwellings and boats out to sea. Many pleasure craft have been missing since Sunday and it is feared that they have been lost with all on board.

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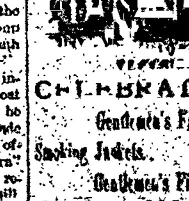

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For Superintendent of Schools,
J. P. JACKSON.
For Surveyor,
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For Coroner,
W. D. MARLOW.
For Justice of the Peace,
CHARLES WALKER.
For Constable,
JOHN W. CHAPMAN.

A PRESSING DUTY.

Mayor Sprague in his inaugural address declared that, "The city expects of us an honest, economical and an efficient administration, conducted upon business principles, and with no sectional favoritism, that each alderman shall consider himself the custodian of the interests of the entire city and not simply of his own ward. The welfare of the people demands: * * * Third. That work on the viaducts, for which bonds have been voted, and the TEJON STREET UNDERCROSSING, be advanced as fast as the interests of public travel and the availability of appropriations and other funds will warrant."

In his address Mayor Sprague stood as the official head of the new city government, and something more. He had served as alderman in the old council and was familiar with its history, plans and purposes. He knew that the city had made certain contracts and was pledged to their performance, and the members of the council accepted as a part of their official duty the carrying out of those engagements. So far as those matters were concerned their duty was executive, not legislative. It had been decided to build the undercrossing, money had been appropriated for this express and particular purpose, a considerable amount, the larger part in fact, of the work had been done. The simple, evident and unquestionable duty of the council was to carry out the contract, use the money under the appropriation for the purpose for which it was particularly appropriated and so "to advance as fast as the interests of public travel and the availability of appropriations and other funds would warrant."

It certainly is not in accordance with "business principles" to let valuable improvements, upon which thousands of dollars have been expended, lie idle and useless for the lack of a few hundred dollars worth of grading. It is not "honest" to break pledges. It is not "economical" to divert funds voted for a necessary object to one which is not necessary. It looks very much like "sectional favoritism" on the part of those who should be "custodians of the interests of the entire city" to take money needed and appropriated for the undercrossing to put gravel in West Colorado Springs.

For lesser cause in lesser emergencies special meetings of the council have been called, and city officials have planned and schemed for a way to do, and to pay for, the work required. Every day residents are being cheated of a right which was solemnly promised them, the right to a safe passage for carriages south of town. There is daily danger to life, limb and property in the passage from the new schoolhouse to Ivywild.

And just as sure as an accident does happen beginning with Tuesday, Oct. 13, 1891; whether it be a broken carriage, a frightened horse, bodily injury or the death descending which has lurked there so long, the direct responsibility therefor will rest with some members of the city council.

The need of a suitable and creditable navy for the United States has fortunately passed out of the domain of partisan politics. Both Republicans and Democrats are agreed in this that the plans inaugurated shall be completed and new ships built as may be necessary. Much credit is due both to Democratic Secretary Whitney and to Republican Secretary Tracy, and it is expected that the next secretary whether Republican or Democrat will continue the wise and patriotic policy. The New York Sun has the following regarding some new ships for which it is hoped the next congress will vote the money. That house of representatives will be overwhelmingly Democratic and the money will be expended by a Republican secretary, but here if ever patriotism ought to prevail over partisanship. The Sun says:

It is now clear that the vessels which the Fifty-second congress will be asked to authorize are to be gunboats of about 1,000 or 1,200 tons displacement.

The type proposed will be rather larger than the Petrel, which is of 890 tons, and the practice vessel, sometimes called by another [illegible] Bancroft, which is of 838. On the other hand, it will not equal in size the Yorktown class, which are of 1,700 tons each, or the Dolphin, 1,500 tons. But the Dolphin is a special service craft, and the three of the Yorktown class could now be improved upon in the steady advance of naval construction. The vessel most nearly resembling the new group to be proposed are the two 1,000-ton gunboats under construction by the Bath Iron company.

[illegible] of this policy. Perhaps to begin with, it is feared that the reaction in the present congress against the profusion of billion dollar [illegible] may extend even to the subject of naval construction, really one of the most legitimate calls for liberal expenditure to take. Under the system of installment payments the stipulated annual appropriations for the three great battle ships, the [illegible] fast triple screw cruisers, the 5,500-ton ship, the fine armored cruiser New York, the armorclad Maine and Texas, and the double-turret monitors must be heavy, so that congress will probably welcome a type of vessels that will allow it to add its quota to the list of new vessels at a very small additional expense. The Indiana is a fine battle ship, but will cost $[illegible]; the "Pirate" is a splendid cruiser, but will cost $2,725,000. The two gunboats under construction by the Bath Iron works cost only $[illegible] each. Nearly ten of these, therefore, could be built for the cost of one Indiana, and nearly nine for the cost of one "Pirate."

But a more important consideration is that these small gunboats are very much needed. The urgent want of our navy just now is that of vessels enough for the foreign stations. Ten gunboats would be more useful for the amount than one great battle ship. For the police and patrol duty required of them, in some places, the small craft would even be better than the larger. The Petrel can go on the Yangtse river in China, where the Massachusetts or New York could not. In chasing poachers around the passes leading from Behring Sea, a vessel like the Petrel would also have obvious advantages. When troubles arise in Samoa, or Honolulu, or Hayti, or along the coast of Salvador or [illegible] the great [illegible] is to have a vessel at hand to look after the lives and property of American citizens. For this purpose a 1,000-ton gunboat may be as effective as a 10,000-ton battle ship. The latter requires a long time for its construction, and is so expensive to maintain that but few vessels of this sort are undertaken in our country.

Indeed, one of the foremost recommendations of the new type is that if half a dozen of them should be authorized by congress next winter, they would soon be in service. In that way it would be possible to make a net gain in our numerical naval force; whereas the long time required for constructing bigger ships forbids even an offset for the constant discarding of the worn-out wooden craft. Still another important point is that the small vessels require only small crews, and hence can be rapidly supplied with their complements and sent off to duty, whereas even a ship like the Chicago or the Baltimore may be detained a long time in order to gather up men enough. With the same aggregate force of enlisted men a larger number of stations and harbors can be occupied, and more officers can receive practice in the command of vessels.

It must not be supposed that these small gunboats will be inefficient on account of their size. The two building in Maine, now known as No. 5 and No. 6, have triple expansion engines that yield a collective horse power of 1,600. They each carry eight 4-inch rapid-fire guns, which, from the quantity of projectiles they can discharge within a given time, are sufficiently formidable weapons in contending with unarmored vessels like themselves. By giving the new gunboats a little more displacement still higher speed might be achieved, with an equal battery power and not much increase in cost. This accordingly appears to be a type of vessel which would be of great immediate use in our navy.

TOUCHFUL POETRY OF AUTUMN.

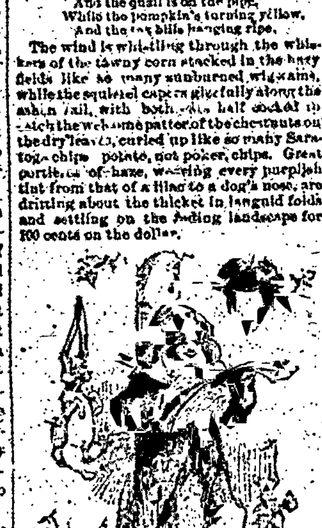
Muskitrick Observes, Meditates and Writes from New Jersey's Hills.

[Special Correspondence.]

BEARDSLEE, SUSSEX COUNTY, N. J., Oct. 12.—All nature is flushing, gushing and blushing. Where it isn't painted red, it is dyed russet or stained yellow, until it reminds you of the wildest kind of a wild, crazy quilt that a woman ever constructed out of every gay, brilliant, dazzling fabric upon which she could lay hands, from the cast-off neckties of her lord and master to the richly flowered suspenders of her brother-in-law.

> The pig is waxing mellow,
> And the quail is on the pipe,
> While the pumpkin's turning yellow,
> And the [illegible] hanging ripe.

The wind is whistling through the whiskers of the tawny corn stacked in the hazy fields like so many sunburned wigwams, while the squirrel capers gleefully along the ashen rail, with both his half cocked to catch the welcome patter of the chestnuts on the dry leaves, curled up like so many Saratoga chips—potato, not poker, chips. Great portieres of haze, wearing every purplish tint from that of a lilac to a dog's nose, are drifting about the thicket in languid folds and settling on the fading landscape for 100 cents on the dollar.



AUTUMN'S TOUCHFUL POETRY.

The long-eared, homely yellow dog that skulks along the highway is a chromo of autumn, so far as the harmony and contrast of color go. He is in perfect harmony with the goldenrod and in pleasant contrast to the purple aster—the latter contrast suggesting to the imagination a beautiful effect for a cover of a book of poems or a smoking jacket. The dog skulks along, ever and anon turning and looking in every direction, as though filled with the discomforting suspicion that some sportsman may fill him with shot and reduce him to the condition of a porous plaster, under the innocent impression that he is a wayward or vagrant musk deer.

Out among the glowing avalanches of flaming color that fill the air with a sweet, tender, wistful, touchful influence suggestive of undreamed dreams, and all that sort of blooming thing, the maiden of discrimination and sentiment lingers with a yearnful longing and a longful yearning, stooping now and then to gather a daintily embroidered leaflet. She passes over each delicate vein of color, and her soul goes out into the ecstatic rhapsody that the poet feels at this time of the year, when he makes a casual diagnosis of the dome of his lavender trousers to ascertain if it is possessed of the general health and strength to warrant his having them dyed black for the howling, scowling winter near at hand.

> And the rabbit's nimbly hopping
> Over Nature's weary lap,
> And the popcorn [illegible] popping
> Like a fresh percussion cap.

The yellow jacket's nest is being harvested by the lover of art in nature to hang in the library for a poetic ornament. It will give great satisfaction if the hornets are not thawed out by the sputtering log fire, when the cricket is piping away as merrily as a plumber in a blizzard. The gaudy pennons of the forest are rippling in the wind, and the bonfire is blazing in the wood. The brook ripples along, reflecting the sup[illegible] and singing a [illegible] song that fills the soul with joy and creates a chaste appetite for a disk of pumpkin pie about two inches thick and as warm and tawny as the harvest moon. The checkers and dominoes are being dusted off for the long winter nights, the scarecrow is being housed for the season of frost and snow, the farmer's smile of independence and contentment is a rainbow of sunny joy, and all is as merry as a cider mill. And the farmer may hang up the shovel and the hoe and sing in boundless ecstasy—

> Oh, winter winds, you may madly skim
> My nose till you make it shine,
> But the buckwheat overflows the bin
> And the [illegible] in the brine;
> And my mind is as sunny and gay
> As the brightest bright May day.

R. M. MUNKITTRICK.

WHO WILL BE SPEAKER?

THE MOST INTERESTING QUESTION AT WASHINGTON.

Robert Graves Calls Attention to the Fact That Most of the Men Who Have Been Speakers Were Under Forty, and Adds Many Other Interesting Facts.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—"Who will be speaker of the house?" is the most interesting question which the politicians at the national capital now have to consider. It is a question which cannot be answered for some sixty days. Early in December the majority of the house will choose the thirty-second man to be honored by election to preside over the popular branch of the American congress. There have been thirty-one speakers of the house, beginning with F. A. Muhlenberg and ending with Thomas B. Reed. A remarkable thing about the speakership is the youthfulness of the men who have been elected to it.

THE GALLERY OF SPEAKERS.

One would not hit upon this as a post to which young men might with propriety aspire, inasmuch as it is an honor often given for long service or won with the strength acquired through years of toil and leadership. Yet the inexplicable fact is that a majority of the speakers were under forty years of age at the time of their election. The average age was about forty-three years. Only four men beyond fifty have been elected speaker, and only one who had passed the sixtieth mile post. Here is a table which I have compiled, and in which I am sure you will find a great deal of interesting information.

Speakers.	Age at election.	Times elected.	Years Served.
F. A. Muhlenberg, Pa.	39	2	4
Jonathan Trumbull, Conn.	51	1	2
Jonathan Dayton, N. J.	35	2	4
Theodore Sedgwick, Mass.	53	1	2
Nathaniel Macon, N. C.	41	3	6
Joseph B. Varnum, Mass.	43	2	4
Henry Clay, Ky.	34	6	10
Langdon Cheves, S. C.	37	1	2
John W. Taylor, N. Y.	36	2	3½
Philip P. Barbour, Va.	32	1	2
Andrew Stevenson, Va.	41	4	6¼
John Bell, Tenn.	37	1	¾
James K. Polk, Tenn.	39	2	4
R. M. T. Hunter, Va.	30	1	2
John White, Ky.	31	1	2
John W. Jones, Va.	37	1	2
John W. Davis, Ind.	46	1	2
Robert C. Winthrop, Mass.	38	1	2
Howell Cobb, Ga.	33	1	2
Linn Boyd, Ky.	51	2	4
Nathaniel P. Banks, Mass.	39	1	2
James L. Orr, S. C.	35	1	2
William Pennington, N. J.	62	1	2
Galusha A. Grow, Pa.	38	1	2
Schuyler Colfax, Ind.	40	3	6
James G. Blaine, Me.	39	3	6
Michael C. Kerr, Ind.	48	1	½
Samuel J. Randall, Pa.	48	3	5½
J. Warren Keifer, O.	45	1	2
John G. Carlisle, Ky.	48	3	6
Thomas B. Reed, Me.	50	1	2

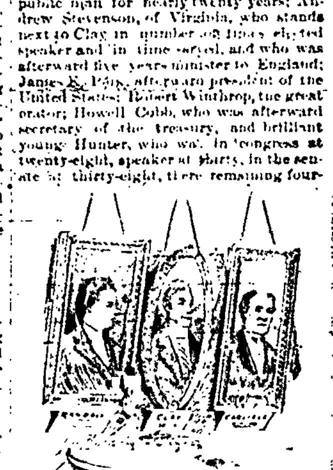
Robert M. T. Hunter was the youngest speaker at thirty, and William Pennington the oldest at sixty-two.

MUHLENBERG, THE FIRST SPEAKER.

Henry Clay is the only man who was elected speaker of the house the first day he came into it; but he had been, though only thirty four, twice elected to the Kentucky house of representatives, once as speaker thereof, and twice senator of the United States. Robert C. Winthrop was only thirty-eight when he was elected speaker, but he was then serving his fifth term in the house. He afterward went to the senate, and his brilliant career as a public man came to a close at forty-two, an age at which most men begin to aspire to political honors.

From Clay's first appearance in the house in 1815 till the beginning of the civil war appears to have been the golden era for young men in congress. Clay himself, not much more than a boy in years and appearance, was a brilliant orator in both senate and house, an able presiding officer, a great debater and political leader. He used to leave the chair and go upon the floor of the house to make speeches. It was in this way that he put through the second Missouri compromise, which made him a candidate for the presidency at forty three. In the thirty-four years of the period I have just named only two men above forty years were chosen to preside over the house, and these two were but forty three and forty-six.

Among the young leaders of this period were Philip Barbour, who afterward went to the senate and had a creditable career; John Bell, who became a candidate for the presidency, and who was an influential public man for nearly twenty years; Andrew Stevenson, of Virginia, who stands next to Clay in number of times elected speaker and in time served, and who was afterward five years minister to England; James K. Polk, afterward president of the United States; Robert Winthrop, the great orator; Howell Cobb, who was afterward secretary of the treasury, and brilliant young Hunter, who was in congress at twenty-eight, speaker at thirty, in the senate at thirty-eight, there remaining fourteen years, withdrawing to become Confederate States senator and Confederate secretary of state.



THREE GREAT SPEAKERS.

The war of the rebellion called the young men of the country from council to battle, and they have not yet regained the prominence which they once enjoyed. Since 1860 only one man under forty years of age has been elected speaker—James G. Blaine.

Of the present candidates for the speakership not one is a young man, compared with the youthfulness of the speakers of the past. I do not know how old Mr. Mills is, and cannot find any one who does know. Mr. Mills is one of the few men who refuse to state their age or permit it to be stated in biographical sketches. He is probably about fifty-five, which is Mr. Springer's age. Mr. Wilson is forty-eight, Mr. McMillin forty-six and Mr. Crisp will be forty seven next January.

It is a somewhat remarkable fact that only fourteen of the forty-eight states now in the Union have had a speaker of the house. Of course Kentucky and Virginia, the mother of presidents, statesmen and orators, are at the top of the list. I have compiled a table which shows at a glance the manner in which speakership honors have been geographically distributed:

	Number of speakers.	Years served.
Kentucky	4	22
Virginia	4	13
Pennsylvania	3	1[illegible]
Massachusetts	4	[illegible]
Indiana	3	[illegible]
Maine	3	[illegible]
New Jersey	2	[illegible]
North Carolina	1	[illegible]
Tennessee	2	[illegible]
New York	1	[illegible]
South Carolina	2	[illegible]
Connecticut	1	[illegible]
Georgia	1	[illegible]
Ohio	1	[illegible]
Total	31	10[illegible]

Kentucky stands so far in the lead because of the repeated re-election of Clay, Carlisle and Boyd. Stevenson's long service puts Virginia ahead of Massachusetts. Chance has played some queer freaks in the distribution of speakership honors. The four great states of New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Ohio, which now comprise more than one-fourth the population of the country, have had only five speakers. Illinois, indeed, has had none at all. No state west of the Mississippi has had a speaker, nor any state admitted since 1810, with the single exception of Maine.

Of the thirty one speakers the portraits of twenty-nine hang in the members' lobby of the house of representatives. An effort has been made to gather here portraits of them all, but as yet no likeness of Speaker Taylor, of New York, has been discovered, and the portrait of Speaker Reed will not be hung for some months yet. A majority

DAYTON AND HIS WIG.

of these portraits are wretched crayons, made from old daguerreotypes, worn and faded.

Still this gallery of speakers is worth looking at, and attracts much attention from visitors to the Capitol. An admirable portrait is that of Muhlenberg, the first speaker, sitting in a great chair, with a quill in his fingers. The best of the lot is the full length picture of Winthrop, painted by Huntington, now president of the National Academy of Design in New York, and presented to congress by citizens of Massachusetts after Winthrop's oration at the Yorktown centennial. Polk's hair stands on end as if he were frightened at a reflection of himself in the mirror. Davis is shown most untidily dressed, with a coat just ready to fall off his shoulders, and a collar which sadly shows the effects of hot weather. Linn Boyd is a handsome Kentuckian, while Barbour suffers in a wretched crayon, with wooden hair and expressionless eyes.

Bell is given the face of a tragedian in a comedy company. White has a melancholy face. He is the only speaker who committed suicide, having made way with himself in chagrin at being caught in a flagrant piece of plagiarism. A portrait which attracts much attention is that of Dayton, with its queer profile and great wig. Stevenson is a calm old gentleman, whose chin rests as on a cushion in his ample choker. Banks is full length, but oil, and poorly done.

In the center of the gallery, on the mantel, hang the pictures of three great speakers—Randall, with his fine, strong face; Carlisle, the studious and judicial, and between them Clay, with his collar points almost touching the corners of his mouth, blue eyes, thin, long nose and scant, silken hair. Next to Randall is Blaine, grayer and older than Blaine was as speaker, and near by are Macon, Stevenson and Polk. In this group we have the seven greatest speakers.

Only one speaker was elected president, but [illegible] eight others have been candidates for the chief magistracy—Clay, Blaine, Bell, Banks, Randall, Carlisle, Colfax and Macon.
ROBERT GRAVES.

The Churches—Artists.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—It is not altogether an unnatural error which the public so commonly makes in confounding two men of the same surname, who follow the same business or profession in the same place. It is, however, frequently the cause of giving to one man the credit due to another. Few instances of this are more marked than the continual confounding of William Church and F. S. Church. Both are artists; both have studios in New York. Each is a man of considerable fame and excellent ability, and either one is likely to be praised or blamed for the work of the other.

They are not even brothers, however, but are as distinct as possible the one from the other in all respects save that of the surname. William Church achieved fame more than thirty years ago, and two of his pictures, painted before the war, are classed by critics as masterpieces. The one was his "Niagara," which was on public exhibition for years. The other was a picture of a storm, in which a rainbow was depicted in colors as striking as ever Turner used. William Church, though now an elderly man, still paints and turns out creditable work, though it is said by his friends to be [illegible] equal his earlier achievements.

F. S. Church, who is a much younger man, only became prominent some dozen or fifteen years ago, and then in a totally different line from that of the elder. He is a figure painter and excels in the creation of odd fancies such as the figure of a woman sitting on a new moon and floating through the clouds. He has achieved fame and is a hard worker. The park policemen say that he is one of the earliest visitors to Central park, and is often to be seen there at 4 o'clock in the morning, hard at work.
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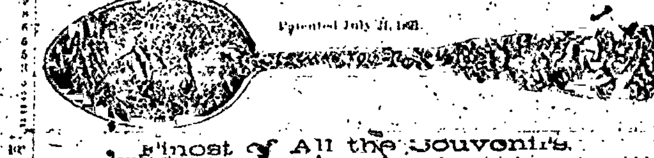

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COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 27, 1891.

No. 1—California Fast Mail ... 12.15 pm
No. 3—Pacific Coast Limited ... 6.45 pm
No. 5—California, Colorado and New Mexico Express ... [illegible]
No. 7—Trinidad and La Veta Passenger 7.55 pm
No. 9—Pueblo and Utah Passenger and Mail ... 10.47 am
No. 11—Canon City and St. Louis Ex ... 4.33 pm

NORTH OR EAST.

No. 2—California and Eastern Express 2.55 pm
No. 4—Atlantic Coast Limited ... 4.10 am
No. 6—California, Colorado and New Mexico ... 5.00 am
No. 8—Pueblo and Denver Accommodation ... 8.22 am
No. 12—Canon City, Kansas City and St. Louis Express ... 10.12 am
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No. 7 Kansas City to Denver	1.35 am	1.45 am
No. 601 Salt Lake to Denver	4.17 am	4.25 am
No. 65 La Junta to Denver	4.47 pm	4.52 pm
East-bound.		
No. 6 Denver to Chicago	[illegible]	[illegible] pm
No. 8 Denver to Kansas City	2.30 am	2.40 am
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Suburban Time Table.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 14, 1891.

GOING WEST.

LEAVE—
Colorado Springs ... [illegible] a.m.
Colorado City ... 11.07 a.m.
Manitou ... 11.1[illegible] a.m.
Iron Springs ... 11.20 a.m.
Cascade ... 11.[illegible] a.m.
Ute Park ... 12.[illegible] a.m.
[illegible]
Woodland Park ... 12.06 p.m.
Florissant ... [illegible] p.m.

COMING EAST.

LEAVE—
Florissant ... 2.30 p.m.
Woodland Park ... 3.24 p.m.
Green Mt. Falls ... 3.39 p.m.
Ute Park ... 3.41 p.m.
Cascade ... 3.55 p.m.
Iron Springs ... 4.12 p.m.
Manitou ... 4.15 p.m.
Colorado City ... 4.25 p.m.
Colorado Springs ... 4.40 p.m.

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No. 18 Limited to Denver ... 9.30 a m
No. 20 ... 7.45 p m
No. 13 Limited to Pueblo ... 7.25 a m
No. 15 ... 7.20 pm

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N. Nevada Ave., 12 rooms, bath, stable ... 1[illegible]
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214 E. Dale, 8 rooms and bath ... [illegible]
N. Nevada, 9 rooms and bath; furnace ... [illegible]
Wood avenue, 7 rooms and bath ... [illegible]
617 N. Tejon St., 8 rooms, bath, stable ... [illegible]
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1019 North Wahsatch, 7 rooms; bath; new ... [illegible]
415 N. Tejon, 6 rooms ... [illegible]
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315 E. Kiowa, 6 rooms ... [illegible]
122 S. Cascade Ave., 5 rooms ... [illegible]
4 rooms over 28 E. Huerfano ... [illegible]
3 W. Las Animas, 4 rooms ... [illegible]
3[illegible] S. Weber, 4 rooms ... [illegible]
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Two constables; one long term, one for short term.
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One constable, long term.
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One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Colorado City Justice's Precinct (composed of Election Precincts Nos. 5, 6 and 7)—
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 8—Fountain.
One justice, long term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 9—El Paso.
One justice, long term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 10—Woodland Park.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 11—Florissant.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Manitou Justice's Precinct composed of election precincts Nos. 12 and 13.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 14—Four Mile.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 15—Sun View.
Two justices; one for long term, and one for short term.
Two constables; one for long term, and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 16—Edgerton.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 17—Callan.
Two justices; one for long term and one for short term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 18—Templeton.
One justice, long term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 19—McFerran.
One justice, long term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 20—Falcon.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 21—Haydon-Divide.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. [illegible]
One justice, long term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 24—Green Mountain Falls.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 25—Peyton.
One justice, long term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
In Colorado Springs Justice's Precinct composed of Election Precincts Nos. 22 and 26 to 30 inclusive.
One justice, long term.
One constable, long term.
In Justice's Precinct No. 33—Ramah.
Two justices; one for long term and one for short term.
Two constables; one for long term and one for short term.
Also to vote upon a proposition to create a bonded indebtedness of the state to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000), the same to be additional to the indebtedness of $[illegible],000 heretofore authorized by the qualified electors under an act approved February 11, 1889.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 10th day of October, A. D. 1891.
(OFFICIAL SEAL.) F. W. HOWBERT,
County Clerk and Recorder.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Gazette Printing Company will be held at the office of the company in the Gazette building, on the first Monday of November, 1891, being the 2nd day of the month, at 3 o'clock p. m. The election of directors will then be held, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.
T. J. FISHER, Secretary.
Colorado Springs, Colo., October 5th, 1891.

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Manufacturers of
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COL. M'REYNOLDS' PLAN.

HE PROPOSES TO FOUND A REPUBLIC IN MID-AFRICA.

He Says the Hudson Bay Company Is Ready to Put Up a Lot of Cash, and He Hopes to Start for "Equatoria" in Two Years.

[Special Correspondence.]

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 13.—Colonel Robert McReynolds, well known in Nebraska and the west generally, has recently returned from an extended visit to the northwest including Idaho, Oregon, Washington and the British possessions. A casual remark dropped by the colonel one evening not long ago led me to believe that his trip was more than a summer outing. When I first pressed him for information the colonel talked only of salmon fishing, bear hunting, deer stalking, the great forests and especially of the glories of the American flag. His secretary, Mr. Frank Handy, however, was more communicative. Colonel McReynolds proposes to found in Central Africa a republic, patterned after the one which has been so successful in America. Mr. Handy said in effect:

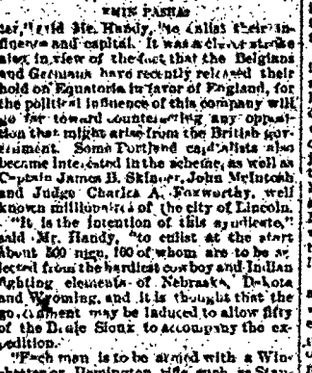
COL. M'REYNOLDS.

"When Emin Pasha arrived in Belgium Colonel McReynolds opened negotiations with him. Emin at once expressed himself as favorable to the plan of founding the republic of Equatoria, provided such armed forces and capital could be secured as would insure the success of the enterprise. With these assurances, and with the maps and plans in detail in hand, Colonel McReynolds proceeded to Victoria, on Vancouver's island, and there, at the headquarters of the officials of the Hudson Bay company, laid the full details of the proposed expedition, its purposes, and its possibilities before them. The interests of that vast syndicate have been on the wane for years. It was therefore an easy matter, said Mr. Handy, "to enlist their influence and capital. It was a clever stroke also in view of the fact that the Belgians and Germans have recently released their hold on Equatoria in favor of England, for the political influence of this company will go far toward counteracting any opposition that might arise from the British government. Some Portland capitalists also became interested in the scheme, as well as Captain James B. Skinner, John McIntosh and Judge Charles A. Farworthy, well known millionaires of the city of Lincoln.

"It is the intention of this syndicate," said Mr. Handy, "to enlist at the start about 500 men, 100 of whom are to be selected from the hardiest cowboy and Indian fighting elements of Nebraska, Dakota and Wyoming, and it is thought that the government may be induced to allow fifty of the Dakota Sioux to accompany the expedition.

EMIN PASHA.

"Each man is to be armed with a Winchester or Remington rifle, such as Stanley carried during his explorations of the Congo. Sufficient stores of ammunition are to be purchased, together with two Gatling guns, which the expedition will carry. When the entire enlistment and equipment is complete a vessel will be chartered in New York, and the expedition will sail direct for the Indian ocean, landing at Bagamoyo, on the shores of the African continent, across the straits from Zanzibar. Here the expedition will begin its march of some 1,500 miles, through the native kingdoms of Usagara, Ugogo, Ungamuezi, along the borders of Lake Victoria N'yanza, through the hostile regions of Ulwa and Uganda to the westward shores of Lake Albert N'yanza and to its northern boundary, Wadelai, where the nucleus of the government of the new republic will be gathered.



EQUATORIA'S FLAG.

"After this vanguard has successfully fortified itself, other expeditions will, of course, follow, and a republic will be formed. The constitution and general laws of the United States are to be used as a basis for the formation of the new government, with the exception that those who form the first vanguard are to be given patents to large tracts of land so soon as the government is established.

"The assurance of Emin Pasha is given," continued Mr. Handy, "that all these terms and conditions will be complied with to the letter, and that in advance of the starting of the expedition he will cause great crops to be sown, plantations of bananas set out, swine and poultry raised, that the influx of the caravan may not cause famine.

"Owing to the remoteness of the region and the difficulty of finding suitable men for the hazardous undertaking, it is probable," said Mr. Handy, "that a couple of years will elapse before the expedition will sail. It is expected that sufficient native carriers can be obtained at Zanzibar or on the continental coast to transport the provisions, clothing and ammunition of the caravan to Nadella. Its cost will not be less than $1,500,000, the bulk of which is to be furnished by the Hudson Bay company, which will then gradually transfer its interests to undeveloped Africa."

All this came from Private Secretary Handy, but later Colonel McReynolds admitted that the plans as outlined above are well under way.

"The United States," he said, "will be force ruined to exercise a sort of a protectorate over the country for a time, such as for some years it extended to Liberia. If this protectorate is secured the new republic will be virtually recognized by the American, the English, the Belgian and German governments from its very inception."

"What will you do with the natives?" I asked.

"Our treatment of the natives," was the reply, "will be characterized by the same liberal spirit that has of late years been shown by the American government toward the Indians. The arms and equipments which the expedition will take with it are simply for protection against a possible hostile force. It will march under its own banner—that of the republic of Equatoria."

Colonel McReynolds is very enthusiastic regarding the success and future of his interesting enterprise.

JOHN M. COTTON.

CHARLES STEWART PARNELL.

A Pen-Picture of the Dead Irish Leader.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Charles Stewart Parnell, when I saw him in 1889 in London, was at the zenith of his political power. He was more difficult to get at than was any other public man in England except Lord Salisbury. In order to see him it was necessary to write, asking for an appointment, with Mr. Healey, to whom one's business had to be explained. Then, if Mr. Parnell deigned to meet the applicant for an interview, the appointment was made.

Mr. Parnell was tall, and impressed his visitor as being slight in figure. He had a peculiarly terse way of speaking, his sentences were very short and he used no gesture at all. His face, in the position seemed to be with his hands clasped over the knee, the body rocking slightly back and forth. He was one of the most intense human I ever saw; he would fix his eyes on his visitor and stare at him—there is no other word in which to express the look—without winking. His face was immovable as a mask, and you could gather nothing from the expression of his face or from the fixed look in his eyes.

His manner was haughty to a degree. This was made more marked by a tone quiet and rather weary, which struck me, the moment I heard it, forcibly and unpleasantly. His treatment of the men who were with him in the land, afterward the National League movement was even worse than that which he saw fit to deal out to strangers. I can remember that he spoke to Mr. Healey very much as a man might speak to a servant.

While interviewing him I found that he wanted me to do all the talking. He preferred to assent or dissent to what I said rather than to answer my questions. But I found that his grasp of the subjects we discussed was marvelously complete, and that his memory as to dates, figures and the like was magnificent. He had a wonderful command of language, and in his power of conveying shades of meaning he exceeded any man I ever knew. I have been told that Mr. Parnell could repeat the same sentiment in a dozen ways, each one the least bit stronger than that before it, and I can quite believe the story.

Mr. Parnell was a man who was absolutely egotistical. He honestly believed that no man in Ireland or England was his equal in ability. He spoke always as one having authority; his dictum was final. He did not assume this manner, he was firmly and honestly convinced it was true. I cannot say that this egotism, which was so apparent, impressed me unpleasantly, because it was so plainly honest. The man was genuine, whatever else may be urged against him.

His dictatorship of the Irish parliamentary party was not the result of the position given to him by its members. It came from the fact that Mr. Parnell could not conceive the person existed who had a right to speak when he was present. He believed he had made the party; he gave as little credit to the Irish people as to his colleagues. With him it was, "I have willed the Land League agitation, therefore it is;" other than, "The Land League agitation is the result of Irish feeling and history, therefore I am."

Mr. Parnell's strength and weakness lay in this fact. As long as he led, the party acted as one man, because it was absolutely controlled by one will. When he was defeated he refused to submit; because he was unable to believe the party could go on without him. It was not a lack of judgment, of political wisdom that dictated his course; it was as if Paganini had been asked to lend his violin that another might play as he played. To Mr. Parnell the revolt of the Irish party was the suicide of the Irish cause, and he believed in the Irish cause as a mother believes in her only son.

He was a terrible fighter. He neither asked nor gave quarter. When his enemy was dead he hated him quite as much as ever. There was a personal element in his political career generally lacking in those of other men. It was not only that his measure was opposed, it was his will that was defied.

His life was a lonely one. He had no confidants, as he had no personal friends. He lived in himself, convinced he was right in all that he undertook, he never asked advice. It was sufficient that he willed a thing for it to be right and wise.

In his terrible earnestness and directness of purpose, in his absolute belief in himself and in his magnificent mental endowments, Charles Stewart Parnell was a great man. He failed because he could not see forces greater than his will were opposed to him. He never would have made the splendid fight he made, and the Irish party would not be where it is, had he been a different man. His character was needed for the time, for had it not been other men would not be able to take up the weapons he has laid down forever.

ALFRED BAKER.

A Man with a Sharp Pen.

MACON-CITY, O., Oct. 13.—Colonel Dora Piatt, whose name twenty-five years ago was familiar all over the United States, has lived here quietly most of the time for years, devoting himself to agriculture and literature. As the Washington correspondent of Mr. Murat Halstead's Cincinnati Commercial Colonel Piatt was so aggressive and startling in his treatment of men and measures that he attracted, with his letters, a very wide attention. He never cared whether his attitude was popular or not—indeed, the singular promptness with which he embraced the unpopular side led many of his contemporaries to suspect that he chose his side on account of its unpopularity.

Before the war he was secretary of legation in Paris, and for nearly a year charge d'affaires during the illness of the minister. He advocated Fremont's election, and during the war was a soldier, serving on the staff of General Robert C. Schenck. For several years he was editor of the Washington Capital, and in 1880, so there were his attacks on the party in power, that he was indicted for conspiring to disturb the public peace. He soon afterward sold The Capital and returned to Ohio. A few years ago he went to New York and took charge of Belford's Magazine, which he conducted until the firm which published it got into financial difficulties. Though Colonel Piatt is very fierce in his capacity as critic of public affairs, privately and personally he is most gentle and lovable.

To destroy the odor of paint in a newly painted room, put a handful of fresh hay in a bucket of water and let it stand in the room over night.

Lighting Mixture.

If a small quantity of chlorate of potash be powdered and mixed with an equal quantity of powdered sugar, a candle may be lighted by means of the mixture without matches. Place a little of it in the receptacle around the wick of a candle that has been previously used, and then touch the mixture with a glass rod, the end of which has been dipped in oil of vitriol. It will burst into flame, lighting the candle.—New York Recorder.

HOW DISEASE SPREADS.

DIPHTHERIA CONTRACTED IN MANY UNSUSPECTED WAYS.

The Easy Propagation of the Terrible Malady by Momentary Contact with Infected Persons or Belongings—Exposure from Pet Animals.

The extreme [illegible] diphtheria is well known. [illegible] cure for a [illegible] form, or in [illegible] a person weakened by [illegible] caused by the parent, or to [illegible] objects in [illegible] while sick. [illegible] communicate diphtheria [illegible] from the source of the [illegible] there is no suspicion of danger. Thus a child with full diphtheria was brought to me in consultation, apparently [illegible] the disease by embracing a playmate who was in the street for the first time after an attack of the malady.

A French medical journal has called attention to the fact that resident physicians and nurses in diphtheria wards, whose persons or clothing become fully infected by the diphtheria germs are very liable to communicate the disease unless they constantly employ precautionary measures. Into the sewer of one house came to the house of a friend introduced diphtheria into the family.

Many children have diphtheria so mildly that they do not complain of being sick, have some appetite and are not confined to their homes. Hence, diphtheria is often contracted from these mild cases in public conveyances and in places of public resort.

DANGER IN SCHOOLS.

In the outdoor department at Bellevue I have often seen children with diphtheria sitting among other children waiting their turn for treatment. These children with mild diphtheria, taking their meals regularly, though with poor appetite, and having so little fever that it is not noticed, are often sent by their unsuspecting parents to the public and private schools, and thus communicate diphtheria, frequently of a malignant and fatal form, to their classmates. I have been able to trace attacks of diphtheria not only to the public and private week day schools, but also to the Sunday schools, and especially to the mission schools designed for tenement house children.

It is now known that several animals, even those that are pets in the nursery, are liable to be attacked by diphtheria. Indeed, this has been proved, as we have seen, in the laboratories, for bacteriologists investigating the nature of diphtheria have in numberless instances communicated the genuine disease to animals by inoculating them with cultures of the Klebs-Loeffler bacillus.

It is very important that parents should know that milk, the common food of the nursery, is a culture medium of the diphtheritic germ. The specific bacillus falling into the milk in handling at the farmhouse or elsewhere grows and multiplies in it. Mr. Cole, a veterinary surgeon in Australia, published in the Australia Veterinary Journal, February, 1889, the history of an epidemic of diphtheria that was traced to the use of milk from a diseased cow.

DANGER IN MILK AND CATS.

The London Medical Times and Gazette for January, 1869, states that Mr. W. H. Power, a veterinary inspector, investigated an outbreak of diphtheria and obtained sufficient evidence, in his opinion, that it was caused by the use of milk that contained the diphtheritic germs. The cows that furnished the milk had what the veterinary surgeons diagnose garget or infectious mastitis.

It is evident from the above observations and facts that the utmost pains should be taken to obtain milk declared for the nursery from a healthy source, and to prevent its subsequent infection. We may also anticipate our remarks on the prevention of diphtheria by stating that milk designed for the nursery should always be subjected to the prolonged action of heat near the boiling point, which destroys all pathogenic germs. I invariably direct that it be steamed in or over boiling water two hours as soon as possible after its reception.

Klein has made experiments showing the identity of feline and human diphtheria, though diphtheria in the cat presents some anatomical characters different from those in man, and the following observations appear to show that it is sometimes communicated by this pet of the nursery to the children that fondle it:

The Medical Press and Circular, June 6, 1877, states that Dr. Lawrence reports two cases under his care in which diphtheria seems to have been communicated by cats. In the first case, that of a little girl, a careful inquiry showed that she had not been exposed to any patient with diphtheria, although this disease was prevailing within a mile of the patient's residence, but that she had nursed a sick cat some days previously. The cat died soon after, and a second cat became sick and was killed.

DANGER IN FARM ANIMALS.

Further inquiry disclosed the fact that a neighboring farmer had lost seventeen cats and another farmer fifteen cats from a throat distemper. One of the farmers stated that he had examined the throats of some of the cats and found them covered with a white membrane.

Observations show that the feathered tribe are especially liable to diphtheria. On the island of Skiathos, off the northeastern coast of Greece, no diphtheria had occurred during at least thirty years previously to 1884, according to Dr. Bild, the medical practitioner of the island.

In 1884 a dozen turkeys were introduced from Salonica. Two of them were sick at the time and died soon afterward. The others became affected soon afterward, and of the whole number seven died, three recovered and two were sick at the time of the inquiry. These two had difficult breathing, swelling of the glands of the neck and a pseudo-membrane extending to the larynx. As further evidence that the disease was diphtheria, one of the turkeys that survived had paralysis of the feet. The turkeys were in a garden upon the north side of the town, and the prevailing winds upon the island are from the north.

When this sickness was occurring among the turkeys an epidemic of diphtheria began in the houses in proximity to the garden and spread through the town. It lasted five months, and of 125 individuals attacked by diphtheria in a population of 4,000 thirty-six died. From this time diphtheria has been established on the island, and frequent epidemics of it have occurred.—Dr. J. Lewis Smith in Babyhood.

In Africa iron hoes are quite common currency, reminding one of the iron money of the Spartans. Mats, cloth, brass and copper wire, and beads are also African money.

GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS.

A Charming Letter About a Most Interesting Figure.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—For a long time George William Curtis has been somewhat inactive politically. But a few days ago while he was attending a meeting of the Reform association, of which he is president, he furnished an interview to a newspaper in which he said certain things that attracted attention to him. This interview has suggested to many the notable political career of Mr. Curtis, and it seems quite likely that he is in the minds of public men at least more thoroughly associated with his political achievements than with his literary career.

It seems strange to many of our public men that Mr. Curtis has confined his political work entirely to championing those causes which he believed to have the right in them. With his wonderful grace as an orator, his peculiar power of presenting with all the charms of rhetoric and all the force of logic a political principle, and with his earnestness in political movements, men wonder why he should not have held elected office. But this is a matter of choice with Mr. Curtis. He has been several times urged to accept foreign missions, and on one occasion could have had the mission to the court of St. James if he had consented. Office-holding has always been something abhorrent to him, and I have never heard that any suggestion of his name would be useless, for he would not listen to it.

Mr. Curtis is very rarely heard nowadays from the public platform, and this seems a pity, for there is no living orator who equals him in the perfection of what is called the old fashioned school of oratory. Joseph H. Choate is a very charming orator, but his orations are forensic or legal. Roscoe Conkling was a greater master of satire and, perhaps, of description, but Mr. Curtis has higher gifts of imagination, a purer diction, a style both elegant and simple, and perhaps the sweetest voice that an American orator ever was blessed with, excepting, perhaps, Matt Carpenter.

Mr. Curtis is aging beautifully. His hair is quite gray, and his whiskers, cut after the English style, as it is called, are almost white. His form is bowed a little, but his complexion is still ruddy, his eyes clear, and his face has that kind which gives a man sought to meet him. He will probably do not more literary work outside his charming essays in Harper's Magazine. What his fame will rest upon it is hard to say. His two novels are still read, although they are not of the sort which is the vogue of the present day; his orations are published, and they are models for those who desire to see what the fascinations of the English tongue are when it is used by a master.

Mr. Curtis' mature years have been as delightful as it is the lot of any man to enjoy. Years ago when engaged in the publication of a magazine, Mr. Curtis became involved in obligations which were a sorrow to him and would have blighted the life of a man of less moral fiber. He set to work to pay them off, and to do that entered the lecture field. For several years he submitted to this tedious and harrowing grind, but as he was a lecturer of great popularity he saw his debt gradually diminishing until at last he was able to say: "I am a free man. I have done it. I owe no man a cent." Since then Mr. Curtis' life has been one of comfort. He receives a large salary from Harper's, and he spends a part of the year at an old farmhouse in a country town in Massachusetts and the winter months at a beautiful home he has on Staten Island. It was in this home that Theodore Winthrop lived when he was writing those exquisite stories which furnished the promise of a new force in American literature, a promise which was never fulfilled, because Winthrop was one of the first to lay his life down on the battlefield.

Those who know Mr. Curtis best are inclined to think that he takes greater delight in conducting services at a little Unitarian church near his home on Staten Island than he ever did in his most splendid oratorical triumphs. This little church was organized some thirty years ago, and, being for a time without a pastor, Mr. Curtis was asked to conduct the service, and he consented, and for more than thirty years he has filled this little pulpit, giving to the congregation every Sunday an hour of spiritual delight such as has been a blessing to them.

There is a hymn sung, Mr. Curtis reads a prayer, then another hymn, and then he reads to the congregation a sermon selected from the writings of those who have uttered mighty thoughts on spiritual things. He has the sermons of the wisest and most godly men of the world to choose from, and when he reads them it is with such religious charm of elocution that it seems to his congregation as though they could listen to them by the hour. So the services there are the very crown of peace and restfulness, and men go away from the church feeling that it has been good for them to be there.

Mr. Curtis takes great interest in the modern tendency of literature, and he is one of those who believe that we may be passing through a transition state just now, and, though the muse is sleeping yet when she awakes she will tell her dreams.

F. J. KINNEY.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bird, Massachusetts; E. B. Preston and wife, Chicago; James J. Ligor, St. Louis; C. L. Wundt, Burlington, Ia.; I. J. Benjamin, New York; T. E. Trask, E. J. Hodgson, Frank S. Thayer, Denver; J. A. Clark, Chicago; Wm. Fischer, Omaha; Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Monument; H. Moulton, Denver; J. E. Warner, New York; E. Wagner, G. E. Simmons, Boston; G. W. Clawson, St. Joseph; John H. Hanley, New York; A. C. Helfrell, Chicago; A. Dellard, New York; N. J. Bentley, New York; Horace Higgins, Springfield, Ill.; W. W. Rand, Yonkers, N. Y.; Mrs. C. W. Dickerson and children, Chicago; Miss May Cummings, Macomb, Ill.; W. W. Tuttle, Pueblo; D. C. Henderson, St. Louis; George D. Edwards, Denver; S. W. Gaddson and wife, Los Angeles, Cal.; D. C. Bartrell, Ouray, Colo.; Tom Grant, San Francisco; C. E. Rich, Denver; Charles Pettagrew, Joliet, Ill.; M. Price, St. Joseph; J. E. Carleater and wife, Clinton, Ia.; G. McClelland and wife, Davenport, Ia.; H. H. Holson, Philadelphia; F. E. Warner, Boston; John H. Hawley, New York.

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S. F. Hartman, Kansas City; W. M. Gilmore, New York; C. E. Wilson, Chicago; W. J. Owens, Utica, N. Y.; Ed. A. Sackett, St. Joseph; J. W. Brauer, Kanokatchia, Kan.; F. F. Dinsmoor, Covington, Ky.; L. S. Higgins, Omaha; Russ H. Palmer, Aspen; John Mackenzie, San Francisco; Mrs. P. J. Branen, Flagstaff, Ariz.; M. Guenther, St. Louis; S. C. Orr, Pueblo.

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THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1891.

The total registry of the High school to date is ninety-three.

There are only a few more days of the cut rates at Munson's ticket office.

The South Congregational church is preparing to give a series of revival meetings.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. Shirley Borden of Earle's court last Saturday.

Twenty new members were elected at the monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night.

Mr. Louis Langbehn, the manufacturing jeweler, has just moved into No. 130 East Pike's Peak avenue.

Professor Chapman, of the college, is now giving three lessons a week in elocution at the High school.

License to marry were issued yesterday to Charles Magee and Miss Celia Mott of Colorado Springs.

Mr. E. M. Barney of the passenger department of the Midland has returned from a trip to Salt Lake.

Helm & Kopf, have received 1000 baskets of the Concord grapes which they are disposing of cheap.

A new importation of Chinese and Japanese goods has just been received at China Jim's, 21 East Pike's Peak avenue.

Preaching in the Swedish language at the city hall to-night, by A. S. A. Lindholm from Pueblo. All Scandinavians cordially invited.

Superintendent Ray spent Tuesday in Denver where he made another sale of mattresses manufactured in the institute's industrial department.

Two men, giving the names of Fisher and Beatty, were brought into the police court yesterday morning and fined $5.00 and costs each for drunkenness.

Mr. Oscar Johnson and Miss Inga Hansen both of Denver, were married at No. 816 North Nevada street, Tuesday, Oct. 14, 1891, by Rev. J. P. Lucas.

Messrs. McLean and Mudge have closed the Ute hotel at Ute Park for the season. They report an excellent season, the latter portion of it being the best. They expect to have the hotel again next year.

Mr. Joe E. Warner, manager for Nat C. Goodwin is in the city arranging for the appearance of his popular star in our city Saturday, Oct. 24. Mr. Goodwin will produce his greatest success "The Nominee."

Messrs. J. W. Proudfit and C. E. Edsall have opened up an office as mining stock brokers at Room 17, Hagerman block where they will be pleased to see their friends. They will handle the stocks of the large paying mines.

Captain M. L. De Coursey received a dispatch yesterday from Mr. S. G. De Coursey, stating that Col. Charles G. McCawley died on the 13th inst. at 2 o'clock. The deceased was a commander of a marine corps and in service 40 years.

The preliminary examination of Lawton and Bissell for the murder of Mojonier Heming will probably be held in the district court room Saturday morning. District attorney Garrison hopes to be able to present the case in person.

In spite of the regular prayer meeting at other churches last night there was a big crowd at the revival services at the Christian church. The subject last evening was "Out of Darkness Into Light," and the subject to-night "Turning Points."

Rev. T. A. Uzzell, pastor of the Tabernacle Congregational church, Denver, will deliver a lecture some time next month in the South Congregational church here on his visit to the slums of London. Mr. Uzzell is a strong speaker backed by a large reputation.

The Y. W. C. T. U. has secured Mrs. Helen B. Harford of Kansas City to speak at the First Congregational church Monday evening, Oct. 19. No admission. A collection will be taken. All who enjoyed Mrs. Lathrop's lecture will be pleased to hear Mrs. Harford.

The county commissioners yesterday appointed Miss E. A. Crowell president of El Paso county of the ladies' World's Fair managers. The new officer will be in charge of the woman's exhibit that may be made from El Paso county. Mrs. F. M. Ashley of Denver is the president for the state.

Evangelist Boyer is preaching some very plain, earnest and scriptural sermons each evening at the Christian church. Professor Brown is a splendid gospel soloist. The attendance and interest is increasing and there are conversions every evening. All who love to hear good preaching and singing should attend this special meetings.

There are now six inmates at the Home of the Good Shepherd in Denver from this county and it costs the county about $100 per month to maintain them. The commissioners state that they have great doubts of any good resulting from the institution and hope that justices of the peace throughout the county will be very careful in their sentences hereafter.

The New York Tribune speaks of Dr. MacArthur, the noted pulpit orator of that city, who is to assist in the dedication of the Baptist church of this place, in the following language: "His voice has a rare plaint or melody of its own, is cello-like and penetrating in melody, and ready for the uses of the noblest oratory. His reading, or formation and delivery of words, is at once strongly characteristic, and with a slight, delicate Gaelic underflavor, and also the highest graces of a refined and scholarly elocution."

Dr. R. S. MacArthur's lecture on "The Huguenots," to be given at the First Baptist church Oct. 20, is a masterly effort. It was heard with enthusiastic appreciation by 3000 people in Music hall, Boston. In Washington, D. C., the Calvary church was crowded with over 2000 people to hear him, among whom were over twenty United States senators and over 100 representatives to congress. Indian commissioner Morgan, one of the most highly educated men of the country, himself a professor, general, A. M., D. D. and LL. D., pronounced it a consummate literary and oratorical success.

Rev. F. W. Hart was elected assistant pastor of the First Baptist church (Rev. Dr. Montague pastor) last evening. The financial support of the assistant is largely guaranteed by [illegible] friend of the church and of the pastor. While assisting Dr. Montague in all forms of church work Mr. Hart will devote special attention for the present to the Sunday school, and to the fuller organization of the church. It is expected that the arrangement will greatly extend the church's activity and efficiency.

COLORADO SPRINGS AID SOCIETY.

Report of the Annual Meeting Held Last Saturday.

At the annual meeting of the Colorado Springs Aid Society, held on Saturday last, it was decided that portions of the secretary's, treasurer's and agent's reports be published in order that contributors and the public generally may know something of the work done during the past year. The secretary's report is just given and is as follows:

We have come to the close of another year's work in behalf of the sick and suffering in our midst, and as we look back over the months past we cannot but feel encouraged that some progress has been made for our attendance has been larger and our treasury fuller. Meetings have been held every month, with an average attendance of twelve members. In November a public meeting was held in the Methodist church, at which Mrs. Jacobs made a stirring address and urged the establishment of a central office, with an agent to attend all calls. This method having long been thought desirable, but impossible from lack of purse, was after this meeting made possible by the election of seven gentlemen to act as an advisory board and to assist in the raising of money for the society. On Dec. 13 another meeting was held, which was addressed by Mr. Bowne, of New York. At this time a report was given of the amount of money thus far received and there being sufficient to warrant the engaging of rooms and an agent, Dec. 16th the society took possession of room 22 Bank block, and installed as agent Miss Louise Schnapp, who had had five years experience in similar work in New York city. I think there are none of us but what feel that this was a wise movement and are satisfied that all calls have been promptly, justly and kindly attended, and that impostors have been discovered and to a large extent baffled. During the year there have been but fifty-nine members and it does seem a great pity that in a town renowned for its kind deeds, only fifty-nine members at $1.00 each have had their names enrolled with this society. Among the citizens we have received contributions from sixty-nine persons in sums from $2.00 to $100, besides liberal donations of coal and dry goods from several of our coal dealers and merchants.

MRS. CHAS. A. ELDREDGE,
Secretary.

The treasurer, Mrs. J. F. Humphrey, reports the expenditures for the year as being $1,450.85, and feels confident, in view of the fact that the utmost care has been exercised to economize and to make the expenditures as low as possible, that the charitable public will sustain and stand by the society and contribute generously towards keeping up the work for the ensuing year.

The agent's report given below covers a period of nine months and is entirely statistical:

Number of families assisted	162
Number of visits made	613
Employment found for	107
Number of sick cases	93
Number of garments distributed	1261
Admitted to hospitals	6
Nurses provided for	5
Transportation furnished to places where relatives could care for them	4
Number of cases found to be unworthy of aid	13
Number of single men sent to wood yard to work for board and lodging	38
Number who applied for the work	10

The following are the officers and directors of the society for the coming year:

President, Mrs. J. J. Hagerman; first vice president, Mrs. H. T. Cooper; second vice president, Mrs. W. W. Arnold; third vice president, Mrs. C. A. Rowe; recording secretary, Mrs. C. A. Eldredge; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. R. Buckman; treasurer, Mrs. J. F. Humphrey; directors, Mrs. G. S. Barnes, Mrs. Wm Lennox, Mrs. E. F. Griswold, Mrs. W. F. Slocum, Mrs. F. L. Martin, Mrs. M. A. Garstin; chairman of First ward, Mrs. Wm. F. Anderson; chairman of Second ward, Mrs. J. F. Seldomridge; chairman of Third ward, Mrs. E. E. Griswold; chairman of Fourth ward, Mrs. J. F. Humphrey; finance committee, Mrs. J. F. Humphrey; printing committee, Miss Etta Barnes.

Manager Nye closed a contract yesterday with Gilmore's band of sixty pieces and a quartet of singers to appear in our city, at the opera house, on Tuesday, Nov. 10. They will give two grand concerts, afternoon and evening. This is the largest musical organization traveling and one of the most expensive attractions that has ever visited our city.

NOTICE.

I shall be a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of El Paso county, at the approaching election, subject to the decision of the voters at the polls. My reasons for taking this step will be published later on.

REUBEN BERREY.

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The primary music class under Mr. Pearson's direction is meeting with favor. Terms, semi-weekly lessons, $4.50 per month; daily lessons $6 per month.

Only a few more days to get low rates East at Munson's, 10 Pike's Peak Ave. On and after October 20th, all rates will be advanced.

1,000 baskets of fancy Concord grapes just unloaded by Helm & Kopf, which they will sell at the low price of 3 for $1. Order early as this will be your last chance to buy at these figures.

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DRAWING CLASS. Miss Warner will organize a Saturday drawing class for pupils attending school. Terms $3 per month. Apply at 115 E. Willamette Ave.

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KNABE, SCHOMACKER, BUSH & GERTS And other first class pianos at Heat & Williams' music store, 24 E. Kiowa St. Prices low, terms easy.

DR. E. J. HADFIELD, northeast corner Nevada and Pike's Peak avenues.

To my patrons:
I have retired from dental practice, and take pleasure in recommending to my patients, Dr. Henry B. Hayden, in whom professional skill I have unlimited confidence.
Signed, JOHN GRANNIS.
Sept. 12th, 1891.

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THE CLUB COFFEE HOUSE. First class in every respect. Hot meals, oysters and waffles open every night till 12 o'clock. Hagerman block.

ASPEN SHORT LINE RAILWAY COMPANY.
NEW YORK, September 2, 1891.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Aspen Short Line Railway company for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting, will be held at the office of the company at Colorado Springs, Colorado, at twelve o'clock noon on Monday, November 2nd, 1891.
The stock transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock p. m. on October 20th, 1891, and will remain closed until three days after the final adjournment of said meeting.
[illegible], Secretary.

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EDWIN T. HANNA.
For County Clerk,
WILLIAM J. MATHEWS.
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For County Commissioner,
FRANK FINEGAN.
For County Assessor,
GEORGE W. MUSSER.
For Sheriff,
ROBERT A. MEIER.
For Superintendent of Schools,
VAN E. ROUSE.
For Surveyor,
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For Coroner,
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Pennsylvania of Philadelphia	[illegible]
Continental of New York	[illegible]
Germania, of New York	[illegible]
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One Case Ladies' heavy ribbed Shirts and Drawers 25 cents.

Our regular line of Underwear embraces all qualities of Wool and Mixed garments.

Ladies' Union Suits from $2.25 up. Children's Union Suits $1.00 up.

Ladies' Equestrienne Tights.

Our Jackets, Capes and Furs are the correct styles and we are making very low prices on the entire line.

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The Exchange National Bank

CAPITAL, $100,000.

DIRECTORS.

F. R. Dow, W. S. Nichols, Geo. De La Vergne, N. O. Johnson, D. M. Holden, A. L. Lawton. D. [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], A. S. Holbrook.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

OFFICE OF
THE ASPEN CONTACT MINING COMPANY,
COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO., Sept. 26, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Aspen Contact Mining Company will be held at the offices of the company, in the city of Colorado Springs, state of Colorado, on the 20th day of October 1891, at 10 o'clock a. m.

At said meeting a board of directors for the ensuing year will be elected; a code of by-laws adopted; reports of officers will be submitted, and such other business will be considered and acted upon as may properly come before a stockholders' meeting.

HENRY C. LOWE,
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Five room cottage, Nevada avenue, near Kiowa street, only $22.

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House of [illegible] rooms [illegible] fully furnished [illegible]

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Seven room house, North [illegible] desirable location.

Very desirable [illegible] heat, gas and every [illegible]

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Atkinson's Perfumes	69	Brown Windsor Soap	[illegible]
Lundborg's Edenia	59	Cuticura Soap	[illegible]
Goodell's Cherry Blossom	83	Pear's Soap	[illegible]
Cashmere Bouquet	59	Packer's Tar Soap	[illegible]
White Rose, 4 ounce	56	Castile Soap	[illegible]
Murray and Lanman's Florida Water	59	Colgate's Honey Soap	[illegible]
Colgate's Violet Water	45	Oakley's Camelia	[illegible]

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References: H. P. Cowenhoven & Co., Aspen. First National Bank, of Aspen.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

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Of Colorado Springs, Colo.,

As Made to the Comptroller of the Currency September 25, 1891:

RESOURCES.			LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts		$327,415 19	Capital stock	$100,000 00
Bonds and warrants		80,020 07	Surplus and undivided profits	126,334 [illegible]
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00	Circulation	19,[illegible]
Premium on U. S. bonds		4,000 00	Deposits	851,034 [illegible]
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		18,810 01		
Expenses and taxes paid		4,161 93		
Due from treasurer U. S. (5 per cent fund)		1,125 00		
Due from banks	$325,684 03			
Cash	113,464 01	$439,148 04		
Total		$1,096,080 03	Total	$1,096,080 03

STATE OF COLORADO, } ss.
COUNTY OF EL PASO. }

I, J. A. Hayes, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. HAYES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 1891.

[SEAL.] ASHAHEL SUTTON, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
LOUIS R. EHRICH,
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Lot 50x190 on North Tejon street in Edwards' Addition; cheap.

Lot 100x190, near Union Depot.

Corner lot, 100x100 on East Huerfano street; large trees, shrubbery, etc.

New cottage on East Cache la Poudre street.

Cottage of eight rooms, hard wood finish, furnace, and all modern improvements, stable, etc., on North Tejon street, near college reservation.

House of ten rooms on East Huerfano street.

Furnished house on North Weber street; very cheap.

Lots in West Colorado Springs, Parrish's addition and Rock Island addition.

Long list of Properties, improved and unimproved, which I should be pleased to show to purchasers.

MONEY TO LOAN.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Delaware Land and Improvement Company will be held at the office of Edward Ferris, in Colorado Springs, on Monday, October 19, 1891.

WM. FERRIS Jr., Secretary.

Colorado Springs, October 6th, 1891.

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